

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the Application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 3, please delete paragraph 2, lines 4-7, and insert therefor:

The motor may be mounted in a first mounting plate or frame of the support with its shaft projecting through said plate or frame, and the barrel mounted on a second mounting plate or frame by means of a right-angle gear (a gear whose output and input shafts are at right angles) connected directly or indirectly to the motor shaft. The right-angle gear may comprise a worm gear.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute the following replacement claims for the corresponding pending claims in the Application, as follows:

1. (Amended) A barrel mixer comprising:
- a rotary mixer barrel;
 - a support for the rotary mixer barrel, the support comprising a tipping arrangement for the rotary mixer barrel, wherein the support limits tipping of the rotary mixer barrel between a mixing position in which the rotary mixer barrel is angled to retain its contents and a tipping position in which the rotary mixer barrel is angled so that its contents are poured out, the support further comprising wheels disposed proximate a bottom portion of the support;
 - a motor having a motor output shaft aligned perpendicular to an axis of rotation of the rotary mixer barrel;
 - a mounting plate abutting the motor and surrounding the motor output shaft;
 - a transmission mounted on the support for rotating the rotary mixer barrel, the transmission including step-down gearing between the motor and the rotary mixer barrel, the motor and gearing tipping with the rotary mixer barrel when the support is moved between the mixing position and the pouring position, wherein the motor and transmission are disposed substantially behind the wheels such that the motor and transmission are disposed on the same side of the support;
- and,

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